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## COURT DIRECTORY.

**COMMONS COURT**—Three sessions a year—Third Monday in January, third Monday in May and third Monday in October. Circuit Judge—W. W. Jones; Commonwealth's attorney—N. H. W. Aaron. Sheriff—F. W. Miller. Clerk—Geo. B. Clegg.

**COMMONS COURT**—Five Mondays in each month. Judge—A. Murrell. County Attorney—Geo. M. Grinnell, Jr. County Clerk—R. S. Sims. Sheriff—E. F. Conover. Assessor—E. W. Burdette. Commissioner of Deeds—J. C. Goff. School Sept.—W. D. Jones. Coroner—C. M. Huie.

**CITY COURT**—Regular court, second Monday in each month. Judge—J. W. Atkins. Clerk—Gordon Montgomery.

## CHURCH DIRECTORY.

**PRESBYTERIAN.**  
**BUNKERVILLE STREET**—Rev. T. P. Wilson, pastor. Services second Sunday in each month. Sabbath school every Sabbath at 8 a. m. Sabbath. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night.

**METHODIST.**  
**BUNKERVILLE STREET**—Rev. W. P. Gordon, pastor. Services first Sunday in each month. Sabbath school every Sabbath at 8 a. m. Sabbath meeting Thursday night.

**BAPTIST.**  
**CAMPBELLSVILLE PIKE**—Rev. W. B. Clegg, pastor. Services third Sunday in each month. Sunday school every Sabbath at 8 a. m. Prayer meeting Tuesday night.

**CHRISTIAN.**  
**CAMPBELLSVILLE PIKE**—Rev. Z. T. Williams, pastor. Services first Sunday in each month. Sunday school every Sabbath at 8 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night.

## LODGES.

**COLUMBIA LODGE**—F. F. A. and A. M.—Reopen-  
ing in their hall over bank, on Friday  
night or before the full moon in each  
month. Jas. Garrett, Jr., W. M.  
G. A. Klein Secy.

**CHARLES CHAPTER**, R. A. M., No. 7, meets  
Friday night after supper.

Jas. Garrett, Jr., H. P.  
W. W. Bradshaw Secretary.

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bought a farm of James Carter,  
Valley, Ky.

## IN MEMORIUM.

[The following letter of condolence was received too late for our last issue:—ED.]

I received the sad message yesterday of Uncle Creel's death and very sorry indeed that circumstances were such that I could not attend the funeral.

When I say he was the best man I ever knew the assertion may seem to the readers a very broad one, yet if they will go to the Gradyville vicinity the people rich and poor, black and white, will bear out my statement.

I have known him for years and more and I have never known a time when he was not ready to divide with any one what he had or to go in missions for his fellow man, or to pray unto his God anywhere, at any time, for any body who asked the favor. He never knew how to say no.

At one time he possessed several thousand dollars, but on account of his kindness to every body, and his indulgence to his own family, he died a poor man so far as this world goes, but thank God that is not very far; and in the true sense, he was a very rich man—rich beyond measure. If there are elevated seats in heaven and there is one seat just a little higher than any other, uncle Creel Yates will be on the top round, wearing a shining crown.

He was one of the few men in Kentucky who lived more than his three-score and ten who never knew the taste of liquor. He was the only man I ever knew who always did unto others as he would have them do unto him. His great Christian character was always most prominent in his afflictions and misfortunes, being at times most conservative and level-headed, with presence of mind to think before speaking or acting, and when he took a stand for the right all the powers upon earth could not move him from his convictions.

The courts of Adair county will miss him as a fair-minded juror; his own neighborhood will miss him and his example; his Church and Association will miss his will miss his love and protection every day and hour. No man ever lived who was more faithful to his wife and children, nor who made any more sacrifices for their pleasure. Me thinks to-day that surely his memory and his example will live in Adair county for ages. I have often wondered why there were not more men like uncle Creel; but pardon me for saying so much about his personal character. I will say no more, yet I know of whom I write.

J. C. YATES.

KENDALL.  
Cumberland river is too low for steamers.

Mr. Jack Vaughan and wife, of Beaver Creek, are visiting at this place.

J. M. Lester is having ice put up this week.

Mr. J. G. Wariner and family will remove to Lincoln county in the near future.

Mr. Frank Snow was in our midst this week.

Mr. Maud McClure, who has been visiting her parents in Illinois, has returned home.

Mr. Josie Blankenship and Miss Mystic Wooldridge are visiting friends and relatives at Rowena.

Miss Bettie Grider, of Calina, Tenn., is visiting her uncle, J. M. Lester and family this week.

Messrs. James McClure and Benjamin Wooldridge have returned from Lincoln county.

Mr. Robert Ham, of Garrard county, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Lou Jones, has returned home.

Miss Florence Wooldridge entertained a number of her friends last Saturday night. Good music and every one present seemed to enjoy the occasion.

Miss Haidee Rowe, of Jamestown, is visiting her friends in this neighborhood.

Mr. Benjamin Wooldridge has bought a farm of James Carter,

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## near Moreland Station, Lincoln county, and will remove his family to it about March 1st. Our loss will be Lincoln's gain.

[We are very much obliged for the above letter, and would be glad if the respondent would write often.—ED.]

## FROM NEBRASKA.

POWELL, NEB., Jan. 18, 1902

Editor of News:

You will please find enclosed \$1 to apply on my subscription.

I thought I would write from this part of God's vineyard, thinking some of your many readers might be interested in seeing a few lines from here.

This is a good farming country and also a stock country. We were cut very short on a corn crop last year, but the wheat crop was fairly good—from 15 to 35 bushels per acre, and a splendid quality. Corn is very scarce and high. It is worth 60 to 70 cents per bushel.

A great deal of stock has been shipped out of this country since last summer, on account of the drought. The people will be hard up here until we get another crop.

There have been great changes here since I came, in 1876. Land was worth then \$2.50 to \$10.00 per acre; now it is worth from \$10.00 to \$40.00 per acre. We have a good class of citizens here; they are from almost all parts of the world. We have good schools and churches of all denominations—that is a few of the good things that we are blessed with.

Now I will give you a few of the drawbacks, as all sections have their good and bad qualities. We sometimes have very hot and dry weather and some times it gets very cold with high winds. We also have a few cyotes and Republicans, but as I said before all sections have their drawbacks. We have as good water here as any man could wish.

This has been the finest winter we ever saw. There were a few days of cold weather in December, but did not last long. There has been very little snow this winter, but there is plenty yet for cold weather.

Powell is a small town 16 miles west of St. Joseph, Mo., on the St. Jo and Grand Island R. R.

Yours for success,

J. H. GATESON.

## KELTNER.

Fair weather and preparations for 1902 crop has begun.

John R. Price and Geo. T. Rodgers were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Clark Sunday.

Born to the wife of O. G. McMahan on the 17th of April.

John W. Finn has been on the sick list.

Thos. W. Dowell has named his Democrat boy Rollin Garrett, serving the right to change his name if the parties for whom he was named ever changed their politics.

The quarterly meeting at this place was largely attended. Bro. Shelly preached two excellent sermons and the people are well pleased with him.

On the death of the angel visited the home of Mrs. Ermine Rodgers and claimed for its victim her son, Henry. His funeral was presided over by Rev. T. L. Hulse and the interment was at Pickett's Chapel cemetery.

We extend our deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

A series of meetings are being held at Pickett's Chapel conducted by Rev. Harwood.

E. B. Dobney made a business trip to Nell one day last week.

A prominent Chicago Woman Speaks.

Rev. Boxa Tyler, of Chicago, Vice President of Illinois Women's Alliance, speaking of Chambers' Cough Remedy, says: "I suffered with a severe cold this winter which threatened to run into pneumonia. I tried different remedies but a general doctor advised me to take and I relieved myself at once. I am now entirely recovered, saved a doctor's bill, time and suffering, and I believe without this splendid medicine again."

Prepared by A. T. Bartlett, Can Valley, Ky.

## OLD MISTRESS GRIMES

Yes, Grimes is dead, that good old man.

We never shall see him more!

Nor shall we see that old blue coat

All buttoned down before,

But who laments old Mistress Grimes,

Who was to him so kind,

And used to wear an old blue dress

All buttoned up behind?

We've often heard her praises sung.

But during all your life,

Have you heard Saint or sinner sing

Such praises to her wife?

Then would it not be just to write

Upon his epitaph

That Grimes was good, like all good men,

With a good heartbreak.

For since by sinning Satan did

Our parent pair deserve,

They've tried to cancel Adam's sin

By charging it to Eve.

While many still the wrong pursue,

Like those of former times,

They'd stand the praise to others due

And sing it all to Paris for

Year to support it.

While in a state of temporary insanity Lydia Walker, an eighteen-year-old girl of Richmond poured coal oil on herself and set fire to her clothing and was burned to death.

Stephen G. Fields, aged fourteen, died at Louisville, McLean County, as the result of injuries received while attending College at Jasper, Ind., a sprained ankle developed into a complication of diseases.

The Court of Appeals holds that while a physician may drug his patients, he cannot practice pharmacy for the general public unless he is a regular qualified pharmacist, holding the certificate required by law.

Mr. French Abbott, of Paris, a traveling salesman, was found in his room at a Somerset hotel in an unconscious condition. He died soon after. His death was due to heart disease. The remains were taken to Paris for burial.

In the Federal Court at Louisville J. M. McKnight, former president of the defunct German National Bank, of that city, who was convicted of embezzling the bank's funds, was sentenced to the penitentiary at Nashville, Tenn., for six years and fined \$10. A motion for a new trial was overruled. The case will be appealed. McKnight has been tried four times.

A bill has been introduced looking to the erection of a new Capitol. It provides for a commission of seven members to be appointed by the Governor with the Auditor and Treasurer as ex-officio members, the Governor to have the power of removal for cause; the money to be raised by a special annual State tax of two and one-half cents on the one hundred dollar valuation for six years, provided, however, that said tax shall close when it shall no longer be necessary, \$10,000 to be paid at once out of the State Treasury for the purpose of enabling the commissioners to proceed with the work. The Board of State House Commissioners is empowered and authorized to adopt such plans and specifications as it may deem best. No limit is placed on the cost of the building, except that it shall not exceed the amount of the special tax of two and one-half cents on the one hundred dollar valuation for six years. It is estimated that about \$1,000,000 will be the amount needed for the work.

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## STATE NEWS.

In a difficulty at High Bridge, Marion Stratton shot and killed Lee Parker and wounded Geo. Prewitt in the hand.

Joseph Moore, of Lewis county,

while cutting timber was caught under a falling tree, and so badly crushed that his recovery is impossible.

The City Council at Winchester has

passed an ordinance exempting from

city tax's for five years any manufac-

tory that will in good faith locate in

the city to support it.

Wood G. Dunlap, of Lexington, will

go before the Ohio Legislature to so

licit money to enable Caleb Powers to

appeal from his second conviction.

Henry Renol, a farmer of Davies

county, aged 50 years, was thrown

from a wagon by a runaway team and

instantly killed. His neck was

instantly broken.

Andrew Carnegie offers to give

Louisville \$25,000 for a library on

condition that a site shall be furnished

for same and the city give \$25,000 a

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WEDNESDAY, JAN. 29.

Chicago went wild over Admiral Schley when he entered the city last Friday.

Twenty-one men were killed and eight badly injured in a mine explosion at Lost Creek, Ky., last Friday.

A bill has passed the Senate, introduced by Mr. Cantrell, of Scott, prohibiting the use of Paregreen on tobacco.

The Legislature in forming senatorial districts left Adair in a helpless condition, from a Democratic standpoint.

The Chicago Democratic Marching Club will visit Louisville February 15. All the Clubs in the city are making preparations to entertain them.

The Democratic members of Congress, in a caucus meeting, passed a resolution favoring the admission to statehood Arizona, Oklahoma and New Mexico.

The work of redistricting the Senatorial districts was finished last Friday night. The report makes a district of the counties of Adair, Casey, Cumberland, Monroe and Russell—population 61,104.

The Senate Judiciary Committee has reported favorably upon Mr. Farris' bill providing for a vote on a constitutional amendment reviving the viva voce voting. We trust that the people of Kentucky will be given an opportunity to vote upon this proposition.

The Eighth Congressional District Teachers' Association will be held in Harrodsburg, April 11 and 12. Prof. M. O. Winfrey, of Stanford, is Secretary and Treasurer of the Association. Such meetings will result in good as well as pleasure. The most talented and able teachers of the district will be present and doubtless many from the outside.

Will some wise and discreet person tell us the real difference between a limited Monarchy and an unlimited Republic—between the government of England and that of our own beloved land? England has her colonies. We have ours. They both administer colonial government, not for the best interest of the colonies, but for the interest of the general government.

A delegation of Kentucky negroes is in Washington to present their claims to the President for a division of the Federal patronage in the State. The Republican party has received their loyal and undivided support since the war and now they ask a part of the pie. If this request is granted a vigorous kick will come up from the white Republican applicants and if they are turned down some trouble may follow.

The bill repealing the double liability clause of corporations was passed by the Kentucky Senate last Friday by a vote of 20 to 2. It will be reported to the House and will doubtless pass that body and become a law in a few days. We believe this to be a step tending to invite capital into our state for development of her great resources and if is a section in all the country that should solicit and encourage legitimate development it is Kentucky. We do not believe in giving corporations more power than individuals but a frank and fair treatment to both tends to increase our wealth, expand our trade and better the conditions of all.

The editor of the Burkville Herald says that The Adair County News admits that it can not furnish a copy of The Herald containing an editorial previously appearing in The News. We admit nothing of the kind, if and the Herald man would like to see the articles in question side by side he has only to intimate. We will spare his picture from his own paper, and will mail it to us, we will take pleasure in publishing it over the article he sent out as his original production. It is a hand-some picture, and would doubtless interest some of the artists at the College.

The Republican party is having some trouble in fixing commercial relations with Cuba. The late President McKinley favored reciprocity with that infant Republic. A large number of Congressmen are inclined to reciprocity, but the sugar and tobacco industries are making a fight before the Ways and Means Committee to prevent concession on these articles. The probability is that the sugar kings and tobacco people will beat Cuba out of her fond desires and make the American consumer sweeten coffee with trust sugar as they are now doing. The Government is a strong institution, but the trusts seem to be stronger.

There is not likely to be any material changes in redistricting the Congressional districts of this State. Adair county will probably be put in the Third district and Muhlenburg county will be given to the Second. This will be good enough for the Democrats of this county so far as it goes. We are willing to be a part of the Third or Fourth, and when mated with Democratic counties and in a Democratic district, we will shake off the lethargy and indifference that overpowering majorities have brought about while sojourning in the Gibraltar of Republicanism. Put us in the Third and we will be contented, happy and aggressive. The Second can hardly Muhlenburg and the Third makes a good deal in getting Adair for Muhlenburg, and the Republicans will still own and control the Eleventh.

In order to aid local option counties in stamping out whisky, State Senator Farris has introduced a bill in the Legislature from which we take the following extracts: "Any person who knowingly furnishes or rents a house, room, wagon, or any conveyance or thing, in which spirituous, vinous or malt liquors are sold, bartered or loaned, in violation of this act, shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than sixty nor more than one hundred dollars, and the house, wagon, vehicle, land or other thing in which the liquors were sold, bartered or loaned shall be liable for all fines adjudged against the person selling, bartering or loaning same." \* \* \* All the shipments of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors to be paid for on delivery, commonly called C. O. D. shipments, into any county, city, town, district or precinct where said act is in force shall be unlawful and shall be deemed sales of such liquors at the place where the money is paid or the goods are delivered; the carrier and his agents selling or delivering such goods shall be liable jointly with the vendor therefor."

From South Africa comes the news of the capture of several men in His Majesty's service. The same dispatch states that Gen. Scheepers, a brave Boer general, was executed by the British. He was captured in October, while wounded and was kept at the British camp until he was fully recovered and then executed like a common felon. Notice the difference in the methods of the two armies. If the Boers executed a British officer, we would hear all kinds of talk about guerrilla warfare. But as it is "our English cousins," no complaint is made and we are preparing to send emissaries to witness the coronation of the king of England, who is responsible for the atrocious Chinese statesmen may well declare that Christianity is a failure. The barbarians of old could not be guilty of greater crimes than the English have committed in South Africa and the rest of the Christian world gives assent to outbursts by their silence. And in the

midst of all we are supposed to officially congratulate the English people on the accession to the throne of a man who claims the sceptre on the ancient and obsolete claim of the divine right of kings."

#### LEST WE FORGET.

[Paducah News-Democrat]

People are prone to forget. It has now been nearly two years since Goebel was shot down by an assassin while he was peacefully conducting a contest for an office to which the highest judicial authorities of the state and nation had declared he was fairly elected—shot down at the instance of one who backed his brief authority up by armed force, and who hoped to profit by the death of the contestants for the office he was usurping. This story has been repeated over and over again and substantiated in various ways, and yet the awfulness of the conspiracy which brought about the death of Gov. Goebel sometimes fades from the public memory. That not one, but many lives were aimed at—public servants in the peaceful discharge of their sworn duties—by the Republican conspirator, has been shown conclusively, but, "lest we forget," it is well again to show the almost inconceivable iniquity of the deadly plot. In his testimony in the Goebel case Monday evening, W. H. Colton, in answer to questions by Mr. Campbell, gave the following testimony:

"What were you to do in the lobby of the house of representatives?"

"We were just told to go there?"

"By whom?"

"By W. S. Taylor."

"Tell the jury what you were to do with the men."

"We were to be there if trouble arose."

"Is that all?"

"We were to fight."

"Did you give badges to the Republican members?"

"I did."

"What for?"

"So we could tell them from the Democrats."

"Why did you want to be able to send them from the Democrats?"

"If trouble came up we did not want to hurt our own men."

"How were you to hurt them?"

"Well, we were to shoot."

"Weren't you to shoot first?"

"Yes, sir. We were to kill the Democrats!"

"Who told you to kill the Democrats?"

"I did."

"What for?"

"So we could tell them from the Democrats."

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"Who told you to kill the Democrats?"

"I did."

"What for?"

"So we could tell them from the Democrats."

"What did he say?"

"He said to kill Senator Hickman, chairman of the contest committee; Speaker Trippie and Campbell Cantrell."

"Well, I talked it over with Gov. Taylor."

"What did he say?"

"He said to kill Senator Hickman, chairman of the contest committee; Speaker Trippie and Campbell Cantrell."

"Were they the only ones?"

"They were the only ones in the house that I can remember; other men were looking after the senate."

The advocates of the Graded School in Stanford have the assurance that they are acting under the provisions of law since the Court of Appeals decided, on the 16th, favorable to the school. The school has been in operation since September and has an attendance of two hundred and forty-five! We are informed that this decision has given quite a stimulus to that thrifty little city and that many country people are seeking to move into the corporate limits to become the beneficiaries of the school. There's one thing certain and that is that a graded school has never checked the growth of any town.

#### FROM ALABAMA.

LIVINGSTON, ALA., Jan. 18, 1902.

Your paper makes a weekly visit to our home and is indeed quite a welcome guest. My papa (Sam Turk) was born in Adair county in 1841. He left Columbia when the civil war broke out and joined the Southern army.

Our county is in the south-western part of the state and Jimmie, a negro of same is thirty by seventy miles—a large portion of it is prairie and is very fine land.

Sumter, one within four miles of our home, which was about 100,000 feet of lumber per day and they have about thirty miles of R.R. connecting the A. G. S. and the N. & W. The Sumter Academy, and when I graduate I am going to visit all my kin folks up there.

Will Turk haloo and give my uncl Elizabeth Robertson my love.

W. L. Turk of Gallion will send

KARLISHE BROWN TURN.

Meals served at all hours, and the

trade of Adair and adjoining counties solicited. Comfortable rooms for lodgers. Frank Bell is the successor of James Bell.

Beat Out of an Increase of His

Pension.

A Mexican war veteran and prominent editor writes: "Seeing the ad

vertisement of Chamberlain's Colic

Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, I am

reminded that as a soldier in Mexico

in '47 and '48, I contracted Mexican

diarrhoea and this remedy has kept me

from getting an increase on my pension

for over a year now.

I am unequalled as a quick cure for diarrhoea and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by M. Cravens.

Newly Furnished.

American Plan \$1.00 Per Day.

MEALS 25c.

NIG BOSLER, Manager.

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Kentucky.

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## PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Basil Chapman, Goshen, was here Sunday.

Rev. T. F. Walots was in Daviess last Thursday.

Mr. W. R. Lyon, Campbellsville, was here Saturday.

Mr. W. A. Brooks, Cincinnati, was visiting here Sunday.

Mr. D. M. Williams, Campbellsville came in a few days ago.

Mr. Lee A. Scarce, of Lebanon, was in town a few days ago.

Mr. L. L. Lubuk was on the sick list several days last week.

Mr. W. N. Robinson, one of our oldest citizens, is not so well.

Mr. J. W. Cook, Louisville, was in Columbia one day last week.

Mr. W. C. Coose, Hodgenville, spent last Sunday in Columbia.

Rev. T. F. Walots and family will leave for Cloverport in a few days.

Dr. C. D. Moore was mixing with his friends here one day last week.

Dr. O. M. Kelsey, Elkhorn, was in Adair professionally, last week.

Mr. J. J. Crouch, Rutherford, Miss., was here the latter part of last week.

Mr. John Rule and daughter, Miss Laura of Purdy, were in town Saturday.

Mrs. R. P. Breeding and G. W. Dillon, Breeding, were in this city last Friday.

Mrs. W. B. Patterson and her little son left for Jamestown the first of the week.

"Uncle" Billy Wagner, who is in his 90th year, is very feeble at this writing.

Miss Cora Williams, Campbellville, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Linley.

Dr. U. Montgomery, Louisville, is visiting his brother, Mr. J. F. Montgomery.

Mr. John F. Shaw, a popular salesman, Carthage, Tenn., was in Columbia Sunday.

Mr. Z. M. Staples will spend a few days in Paducah on a visit, leaving here Thursday.

Squire J. M. Mitchell, who lives near Greensburg, was in town several days last week.

Mr. H. T. Naylor, of Neatburg, was in Columbia Saturday and dropped a dollar into our pocket.

Mr. T. S. Scott, of Burkville, who visited relatives in Adair county, has returned to her home.

Mrs. Luther Willow, who lives in the Gradyville country, is lying in a very critical condition.

Mr. Frank Rice, Cane Valley, returned from a business trip to Pittsburgh, Penn., a few days ago.

Mrs. Elen Squires and Mrs. Nona Dohner, of the Cane Valley country, are lying in a low state of health.

Mrs. Annie Miller, who has been visiting Miss Ethel Bradshaw, returned to her home in Lebanon last week.

Mr. T. B. Hazard, who lives near Campbellsville, was in Columbia Saturday and renewed his subscription to the News.

Mr. T. W. Montgomery, whose office is Tarter's, was in the News office last Saturday and when he left the proprietor's cash account was swelled several dollars.

Miss Adelaide La Pierre, of Missouri, who has been employed as an assistant at the College, arrived last Saturday and has entered upon the discharge of her duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Coughlin and family will leave for Austin, Collin County, Texas, Thursday morning. Mr. Cundiff leaves with the intention of going into the hotel business. He is a splendid citizen and has a most excellent family. We hope to hear of meeting with success when returning to his native a few weeks later.

Mr. E. G. Coffey, of Dallas, Texas, who spent two weeks very pleasantly with his parents and all friends here, started on his homeward journey last Saturday. Bob is a salesman in a large jewelry establishment and is getting along well. We hope to hear of his friend at his old home, and it is the wish of every one that he may grow rich in the thriving city of Dallas.

Mr. J. W. Rule, of Rutherford, Miss., who has been visiting in this part of the State, left last Saturday for his Southern home. Mr. Rule is a native of Kentucky, but has resided in Tennessee the last twelve years. He is a merchant and one of the large cotton growers of his State, having under cultivation last year, 5000 acres. Mr. J. H. Cranch, of Chautauque, Tenn., has accepted a position with Mr. Rule, and Mr. W. C. McNeel, of this county, has a position with Mr. Rule, who spoke of him in the highest terms to his many friends in this section.

## LOCAL JOTTINGS.

Gradyville letter failed to reach us. Allen Walker sold 27 cattle a few days ago for \$500.

What has become of the school to be located here by the Louisville Conference?

The town of Columbia would like to expand if it could be done without cost or trouble.

The electric railroad talk has subsided and the wagons are still hauling goods over the pile.

The Adair Circuit Court is about over.

Judge Jones next court will be at Hopkinsville.

Show to the depth of two inches fell here last Sunday night.

The recent rains have made a boat tie in Cumberland river.

Born, to the wife of Will Van Hoy, on the 22d inst., a daughter.

Born, to the wife of Jesse M. Bryant Sunday night, a daughter.

J. B. Russell sold Hudson & Page, last week, 20 good hogs at 50 cents.

We understand that all the ice-houses in town have been filled to the brim.

J. B. Barbee bought of Dr. W. T. Simpson, last week, a roan horse for \$100.

Plato Wade bought 50 barrels of pickled corn from Tom Kaitley, last week at \$2.50.

Coffey Bros., this place, sold Mackin & Brown, Lebanon, a saddle gelding last week for \$125.

One of the bank robbers arrested at Harford, Ky., gave his name as G. G. Graves, Green county.

Jordan Sebastian, of color, charged with defrauding a woman, was tried last Saturday and acquitted.

Mrs. Nancy Barrett, who was a very old lady, a sister of Mr. Ben Grant, died near Asher last week.

Coffey Bros. are now working seven head of high-class horses which will be up on the market in the early Spring.

The Mutual Oil and Gas Company has received its book and is now ready to issue. Write N. M. Tutt, Columbia.

R. B. Wilson has purchased a town lot of Mr. S. G. Banks, of Cane Valley, and is now erecting a large poultry house.

J. B. Russell & Sons, Green river, have bought in the last few weeks one hundred and twenty hogs, from different parties, at 5 cents.

For SALE.—A goodow and seven pigs one month old. Apply to L. B. Willis, Joppa, Ky.

For RENT.—Our store-house in Columbia, Ky., is for rent. Willis Bros., Cave City, Ky.

It is hard to tell at this time the outlook for wheat in Adair county, as the sowing was very late. At this writing it is up and looking fairly well.

The town clock received a coat of steel last Sunday night and has been dumb ever since. Why not give the clock protection from steel, snows and rain?

D. Wilson & Son, Russell Springs, have the frame work of their new store building up, and will have the house ready to receive a new stock of Springs goods.

A great many Commonwealth cases were disposed of last week. There was only one murder case, the remainder for breach of the peace, selling liquor, concealed weapons, etc.

Mr. W. R. Myers, the present owner of the Columbia Mill, will buy all kinds of lumber, including gum and sycamore, wheat and corn. Will pay the highest cash prices.

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The bride is a daughter of Mr. John Gross, a prosperous farmer, residing near Denmark. The groom is son of Mr. Frank Pierce, whose home is near Etoe.

The couple are well connected and have the best wishes of numerous friends throughout the country.

Soon after the ceremony the newly wedded couple, accompanied by a few friends, repaired to the home of the groom's father where a sumptuous repast awaited them.

The bride is a party of young men, intimate friends of the couple, congratulated and for a short time munched, cow-bells, horns, etc., made the wedding ring.

Preaching next Sabbath. W. D. Hudgson, Jerico.

Z. T. Williams, Cane Valley.

W. H. C. Sandidge, Union.

W. P. Gordon, Columbia.

Buck Lure, Pickett's Chapel.

Buck Lure, White Oak.

A. H. Baugh, Beech Grove.

J. P. Van Hoy, Glenview.

J. F. Roach, Society Hill.

W. B. Cave, Milltown.

To RELET.—Columbia—Gradyville main route, for two years, July 1, 1902, to June 30, 1903. Government pay \$252 a year. Apply to L. L. Cary, Cloyd Landing, Ky.

The College is filling up rapidly. There are now about one hundred pupils and many others to enter. In a few weeks it will probably be the largest school in Columbia since the days of Rev. John L. McKey.

The drill corps at the College, under command of Ex-Gov. J. R. Hindman, is getting along nicely. The company has not as yet secured guns, but assurance has been given that they will be provided.

On Sunday night, the 19th of this month, the post-office and store at Gentry's Mill, this county, was robbed. The thief got several pairs of shot, a number of suspenders and other goods and several dollars worth of tobacco. The persons here that the robbery has been committed are the postmaster and his wife.

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For Prof. Parker H. Jackman, a well-known colored teacher, and a man who has the respect of the whites as well as the blacks in this county, opened a subscription school in the Flat Woods last week with two classes. As there are no colored students will enter and in four weeks the teacher expects to have in attendance as many as he can well manage. The colored people in the Flat Woods are to be congratulated upon securing so good a teacher, as Prof. Jackman.

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### When Teddy Was in the War.

There could be no more flagrant proof of Roosevelt's contempt for military restraint than was shown by the president when he was merely Colonel Roosevelt, the "Rough Rider," of the volunteers, to the war with Spain, when he's a' et, if he did not invent and originate, the "round robin" at Santiago.

A "round robin" which is better known in the naval service than on land, is considered more or less numerous. It consists of a complaint or protest against authority written inside of a circle, around which the persons signing it write their names, like the radii or spokes of a wheel. The object of this is to prevent any of the foreigners from being singled out as leader in the mutiny, as would be the case of a name signed at the top and the others following.

Colonel Roosevelt thus engaged in an act that was of a mutinous nature, contrary to all military law, as well as prejudicial to discipline and good order. But this was not all. His communications with the war department when he was in the army must, according to law and discipline, pass through the hands of his immediate commander; but, wholly disregarding the law, he wrote a letter directly to the secretary of war in which he praised his Rough Riders at the expense of other troops with which he was serving.

But this is not all. A formal reprimand to an officer must be in accordance with the verdict or a court-martial. Such courts frequently sentence the defendants tried by them to be reprimanded, and, therefore, a reprimand is punishment, and the articles of war expressly declare that no officer can be punished except by the sentence of a court-martial. The president, in publicly and severely reprimanding General Miles, has inflicted punishment, and very severe punishment, without any right or authority of law.—From The New Orleans Picayune.

### A Sermon on Oil.

Rev. Dr. F. C. Pillsbury, at the Centenary Methodist church, Lexington, preached a sermon recently with the oil industry of Kentucky as his theme. With the "five foolish virgins" under contemplation, he said: Multitudes say that the development of oil properties is gambling pure and simple. I do not so regard it. I regard it as a great legitimate enterprise that God has committed to the hands of men, as legitimate as the banking business, or any other business. That there is the opportunity of gambling, and deceiving many, I do not deny, but to brand the whole industry as gambling is unjust. The industry requires brain, effort, money and patience to develop it. It must meet the principles of honest business, wisely and economically administered. There are five classes of people who will learn, wisdom from the development of the oil field which confront us. The first class is the reckless, dare-devil class, regardless of the outcome, as long as they can make their own pittance from it—men minus any sense of honor or principle. The second class is composed of those people who are too confident, too innocent to trust business anyhow and who illustrate the proverb, "A fool and his money is soon parted." In the third class is the man of forethought, who studied the field carefully and informs himself of the conditions, who is honest and competent to develop the industry. Closely allied to him is the thrifty investor, who is willing to risk part of his wealth, not only for himself but for the general welfare of the State. In the fifth class are the ultra-conservatives, too wise to invest a single dollar in something that is new and like the man who finds a substitute in the time of war. There is not the slightest element of uncertainty in its ultimate development. There will be fortune lost in it, but it sounds the bugle call of opportunity, of a great business and promoting the welfare of the State. I like any condition that wakes men up and vitalizes them. There will doubtless be fraud. There will also be the man who will regret that he had cried "Time enough." Many will say "the bridge goes cometh" to the oil fields of Kentucky. Go out and meet him and be prepared.

Bills without number have been dumped into the legislative hopper. Some are good and some are bad. Only a small per cent of them will be enacted into laws. Many of them will never be heard of after they go into the hands of the several committees. But a legislator without a pet measure of some kind would be a mystery, and then his constituents always want something, and it would be death and annihilation to him if he did not make some sort of show towards getting it for them.

### CONGRESS.

A bill has been introduced providing for government ownership of the telegraph lines of the United States.

The Senate Committee on Commerce authorized a favorable report on the Frye Ship Subsidy Bill. The Democratic majority voted solidly against this action. They also voted for an amendment striking out the entire general subsidy clause.

By a vote of 34 to 17 the Senate confirmed the nomination of Stephen G. Sharp as United States Marshal for the Eastern Kentucky district. The vote was preceded by a colloquy between Senators Blackburn reviewing Sharp's connection with the armed mountaineers brought to Frankfort in 1900 and Deboe telling of illegal outrages at the time he was elected.

### Changed Her Mind.

Miss Eliza Moreland, a pretty bruneté from Montgomery, Clark county, has just returned from South Dakota, where she went to get married, but at her last moment she exercised her woman's privilege and changed her mind, returning home, husband and glad of it.

About two years ago she answered a matrimonial advertisement which resulted in a correspondence with a gentleman in South Dakota, who represented himself as middle-aged and wealthy. She came to the conclusion that he would be "about her size," and so decided to accept. A week ago she decided to go to South Dakota and marry him, provided, of course, that she found him as he had represented himself. He had previously pledged himself to pay her expenses for the round trip in the event he did not come up to expectations.

He met her at the depot and she was horrified to find that he was at least sixty-five years old and maybe more. She told him how she felt about it and said that she did not have the slightest idea of marrying him, no matter what his financial condition may be. He was much taken with her and tried to persuade her to accept him, but she would not change her mind. He kept his word and paid her expenses for the round trip.

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### Fashions From Paris.

Gun metal effects are fashionable in velvet, silk and satin, ranging from light to dark shades.

French brides frequently add either lilies or myrtle to the traditional orange blossoms for the wedding day.

Many of the newest necklaces are of white Liberty satin; when combined with black velvet, they are especially effective.

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Deerskin belts supersede those made of suede, seal and patent leather. Dyed black, dressed with a velvety surface and claspings with a gun-metal buckle, they are the "correct" thing to wear with a flannel waist.

Approved by the modists are scarfs of white muslin de sole tied once these have not broad and elaborate ends trimmed with squares of black velvet alternating with lace, or with raised flowers of muslin de sole heading a fine pleating.

Black lace dresses are to the front again, and those who have stored away these once fashionable garments will have made them for formal functions. A rich black lace gown is good investment, needing only a bit of color to render it suitable. The drop skirt may be of silk or satin, finished with a deep decorative plaited flounce.

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Jerome Way, who was struck with a chair by his brother-in-law, Joseph Blackwell, at Carrollton, died.

Mayor Granger has received word from Andrew Carnegie that he will be delighted to give Louisville \$250,000 for a free public library.

### Our Duty to Cuba is Plain.

Governor General Wood, President Palma of Cuba and Mr. Albert G. Robeson, an authority on the Cuban situation, unite in declaring that a reduction of at least 50 per cent. of duties on Cuban products is necessary to the welfare of the Cuban people, now dependent upon this Government's action for the just safeguarding of their interests.

The Sugar Trust and the Beet Sugar Association are in conflict over this proposition. The former favors the reduction as promising fair sugar for the trustmen. The latter opposes the reduction as threatening to injure the American beet sugar industry. Powerful influence for and against reciprocity with Cuba is being brought to bear on Congress.

From the viewpoint of our duty to Cuba the problem thus created is in the least complicated. Of dire necessity, the people of that island look to us for relief from their present deplorable plight. They have our national pledge for protection and fair treatment. They are forbidden to enter into treaties with other Governments save with our approval. Consequently, they are helpless to remedy the ills now afflicting them. They must depend solely upon the American national sense of honor for the fulfillment of the pledge which we have given them.

Our duty in honor, therefore, is to reduce the tariff on Cuban products to a point making Cuban prosperity possible. There is no escape from this if we are to retain our national self-respect. The argument that we may suffer somewhat ourselves through keeping our word with Cuba can have no weight as an honorable argument. Congress should keep in mind the plain truth that we are under solemn obligation to extend equitable protection to Cuban interests and should dispose of the existing situation on this basis alone.—St. Louis Republic.

### Beat Out of an Increase of His Pension.

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### For Sale.

My property located in Liberty County, Ky. It stands near the courthouse on the south side, and consists of a nice dwelling, with nine rooms, good barn, also a garden spot. For further information call on address V. M. Lester, Liberty, Ky., or Mary E. Pierce, Kendall, Ky., Inc.

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### Finds Way to Live Long.

The startling announcement of a discovery that will surely lengthen life is made by editor O. H. Downey, of Chubbusco, Ind.: "I wish to state," he writes, "that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is the most valuable remedy that I have ever known for coughs, colds and grip. It's invaluable to people with weak lungs. Having this wonderful medicine, no one need dread pneumonia or consumption. Its relief is instant and once certain." T. E. Paul, of Columbus, and W. H. Wilkinson, of Liberty, guarantee 500 and \$100, bottle, sample free.

C. E. Holt, a wealthy farmer, and his nieces were murdered at their home near Greeleaf, Kansas. The murderer was committed by a burglar, who robbed them.

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